

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Middlesex County, New Jersey****Trend of Fatalities, 2000-2004**

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
<b>Fatality Counts</b>	<b>Total Fatalities</b>	58	57	59	62	57
	<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	27	21	19	31	21
	<b>Single Vehicle</b>	30	27	40	35	35
	<b>Non-Junction</b>	38	32	32	30	33
	<b>Intersection</b>	11	13	14	22	22
	<b>Intersection-Related</b>	3	4	7	4	2
	<b>Speeding Involved</b>	7	3	3	6	3
	<b>Pedestrians</b>	10	9	22	13	14
	<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	0	3	2	1	1
	<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	7	9	12	7	4
	<b>Roadway Departure</b>	25	27	23	26	25
	<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	27	23	27	35	24
	<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	11	15	4	10	10
	<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	0	3	1	1	1
	<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	38	41	32	46	35
	<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	8	4	3	2	7

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)  
By Restraint Use, 2004**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Restrained</b>	<b>Unrestrained</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2004</b>	34	17	16	1

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)  
By Helmet Use, 2004**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Helmeted</b>	<b>Unhelmeted</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2004</b>	7	6	1	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2004

	2004			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
<b>Total Fatalities</b>	57	3	7.27	16
<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	21	3	2.68	15
<b>Single Vehicle</b>	35	3	4.47	12
<b>Non-Junction</b>	33	4	4.21	15
<b>Intersection</b>	22	2	2.81	9
<b>Intersection-Related</b>	2	6	0.26	10
<b>Speeding Involved</b>	3	10	0.38	17
<b>Pedestrians</b>	14	4	1.79	7
<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	1	7	0.13	10
<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	4	12	0.51	18
<b>Roadway Departure</b>	25	4	3.19	15
<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	24	3	3.06	16
<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	10	4	1.28	13
<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	1	7	0.13	12
<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	35	4	4.47	15
<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	7	3	0.89	10

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.